

## The Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 16.

## VIRGINIA ELECTION.

## ALEXANDRIA COUNTY.

The following is the official vote of Alexandria, city and county, as returned by the commissioners, who met on Saturday evening:

	Conrad,	McKenzie,	Miner.
1st Ward.	105	113	4
2d "	105	76	6
3d "	109	114	14
4th "	109	109	4
County.	21	11	1
	449	423	29

On the question of granting to the Legislature the power of repealing the disqualification clause of the Constitution, as adopted by the Alexandria Convention, the official vote is as follows:

	For Repeal.	Against Repeal.
1st Ward	169	14
2d "	161	17
3d "	195	19
4th "	114	4
County	3	
	642	54

The returns from other parts of the State are received very slowly, owing, we suppose, to want of mail facilities. There appears to have been but little interest manifested in the election and the vote throughout the State will be small. The few additional returns that we have received only confirm the election to the U. S. House of Representatives of Messrs. Custis, Conrad, Stuart, Ridgway, Barbour and R. E. Withers, in the 5th District. In the 8th District, Daniel H. Hoge, is reported probably elected. In the Norfolk District the contest between Messrs. Chandler, Millson and Kilby is very doubtful, and the Norfolk Post says it is difficult to say who is elected.

An extra from the Leesburg Mirror office, gives the result of the election in Loudoun county:—Conrad received 668 votes; McKenzie 423, and Minor 16. Williams for the State Senate received 285 votes; Messrs. W. H. Gray and R. M. Bentley are elected to the House of Delegates.

In Albemarle county, Messrs. John Wood and Wm. A. Quinn are elected to the House of Delegates, and Mr. Jas. Galt State Senator from that district.

Col. John B. Baldwin is elected to the House of Delegates from Augusta.

The vote polled in Fauquier was small.—Conrad received a very large majority for Congress. Messrs. James Marshall and B. F. Rixey are elected to the House of Delegates, and from the Senatorial District J. F. Strother is elected.

In Fredericksburg, for State Senate, J. B. Senor, received 141, J. H. Lee 72, Jos. Sanford 20 and W. H. Brown 11. For House of Delegates, Chas. Herndon 224 and Sanford 19. For Amendment 241.

At Falmouth precinct, Stafford, for Congress, Barbour 29 and Pendleton, 2. For State Senate, J. H. Lee 26, J. B. Sener 7, Jos. Sanford 4, W. H. Brown 3. For House of Delegates, Hansbrough 39, J. F. Clark 1. For Amendment 38.

Dumfries precinct, Prince William, For Congress, Minor 23, Conrad 49. For State Senate, Sener 68. For House of Delegates, Dunnington 67, Brawner 6.

On the morning of the 19th instant, an eclipse of the sun will take place. Here and in other parts of the United States, the eclipse will be partial, but covering from a half to three-fourths of the sun's surface. Should the day be cloudy, artificial light may be needed. Here the eclipse commences a few minutes before nine in the morning, and ends a few minutes after twelve. The eclipse will be Annular, in a line commencing at Puget's Sound, passing southeasterly through Montana, Idaho, Kansas, Southern Missouri, Western Tennessee, and through Georgia, via Sherman's march to Savannah, and thence to Africa. On this route the sun will present a ring of light (hence an annular eclipse) around its margin, the disc being covered by the body of the moon. This ring will be half a digit wide, and the moon will occupy eleven digits. The eclipse is of great interest, and when it is Annular will be a rare and beautiful spectacle. The annular appearance will last about seven or eight minutes. But let no one look at the Sun except through a smoked glass, as the eyesight is very apt to be injured, if not destroyed, by looking at it with the naked eye.

We are requested to urge a reorganization of the Virginia State Agricultural Society, and with that a resumption of the annual cattle shows, which proved such a source of pleasure and profit in time past. There is ample time between this and next autumn to make all necessary arrangements; the grounds near Richmond could be restored to the Society, and a small outlay would place them in a condition suitable for the exhibition.

GOLD.

NEW YORK, October 16.—Gold, 145½.

In answer to the statement that the documents found on the person of Colonel Dahlgren after he was killed were forgeries, Col. Von Borecke, writes a letter to the London Times in which occurs the following:

"Knowing of Colonel Dahlgren's approach with far superior numbers to my own, I put my men in ambush, awaiting the enemy. Col. Dahlgren was riding a short distance ahead of his men. He had gotten quite near to us, when I called out to him to surrender. Instead of doing so, the Colonel turned to his command, giving the order to charge, whereupon my men fired a volley, by which the Colonel was instantly killed, pierced by several bullets, as nearly all the shots had been aimed at his person. The soldiers under his command turned to rapid flight. On the Colonel's dead body I found a memorandum book and some loose orders and papers, the contents of which I regarded as important enough to deliver them in person."

The Lieutenant then handed Fitz Lee the documents in question, the contents of which were read by both of us with feelings of the greatest indignation, and half an hour afterwards carried by the General personally to President Davis.

The papers afterwards published by the Confederate authorities are identical with those which I read a few hours after they had been taken from Dahlgren's body, and which documents, under the circumstances, must be supposed to have been written by the Colonel's own hand.

General Fitz Lee, who is still alive in Virginia, will, if desired, fully corroborate the above statement. Your obedient servant,

HEROS VON BORCKE.

Lieutenant Colonel and late Adjutant General of the Cavalry of the Army of Virginia.

The Richmond Times of Saturday says: A few days since, during the observance of "Yom Kippur" (Jewish) fast, one of the members who had just recovered from an attack of typhoid fever, undertook to comply with the regulations of the Church by fasting the usual length of time required. His strength, however, would not permit him to keep up, and he finally sank from exhaustion in the synagogue, when a bottle of hartshorn (of which it is customary on these occasions to keep a large quantity on hand) was applied to his nose; but this instead of doing him good, produced severe strangulation and bleeding from the head and nose, which rendered it necessary to call in a physician.

GEORGE E. WHITE & CO.,  
Liberty Hall.

89 and 91, CAMERON STREET.  
Invite attention to their very extensive and choice stock of

## GROCERIES.

embracing Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Hams, Bacon, Flour, Candles, Soap, Molasses, Butter, Cheese, Canned meats and Fruits, Jellies, Farina, Corn Starch, and a great variety of articles usually found in a grocery store.

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CONCENTRATED FERTILIZER,  
SWAN ISLAND GUANO.

HAY, GRAIN and FEED always on hand. We also ask attention to our unusually large and fine stock of

## LIQUORS.

of every description, consists of Whiskies, high and low grades, Brandies, Gin, California Wines, Champagne, Port, Sherry, and other Wines, Jamaica Spirit, Santa Cruz Rum, Cordials, Ale from the Washington Brewery, in barrels and half-barrels, &c., &c.

Also, CIGARS and TOBACCO in great variety.

Goods delivered in all parts of the city free of charge. oct 16—tf

JOS. HOPKINS.

## FAMILY GROCER.

Corner Prince and Fairfax streets,  
(Thos. Burn's Old Stand.)  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Begs leave to inform his friends, the former customers of the "old stand," and the public generally, that he is prepared to furnish first-class Groceries, Wines and Liquors, and all other articles usually found in a first-class Grocery Store, as low as they can be bought in this market. oct 16—1w

THE UNDERSIGNED IS WINDING UP his business, and will sell out his fixtures, safe, show cases, regulator, &c. Those who have wretches for repair there, are requested to call for them before the 1st of November.

M. BODENWIESER,

oct 16—eo2w 96½ King Street.

THREE OR FOUR YOUNG GENTLEMEN can obtain BOARD, by applying at the corner of Queen and Columbus sts. oct 16—tf

FOR SALE.—A No. 1 FIRE PROOF SAFE—Herring's patent. Apply at this office. oct 16—tf

## COPARTNERSHIP.

I have this day associated with me, in the General Commission, Grocery and Ship Chandlery Business, JAS. L. BOWEN and THOMAS J. BROOKS, under the name and firm of BOWEN, BROTHER & CO.

ISAAC R. BOWEN.

JAS. L. BOWEN.

THOS. J. BROOKS.

oct 10—1w Old stand, No. 1, King street.

## EXCHANGE HOTEL,

LURAY, VA.

The subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the travelling public that he has repaired and refitted the above named house, and will be happy at all times to accommodate them. His table will be furnished with the best the market affords, and his stable well stocked with grain and hay. Strict attention will be paid to the wants of his guests. His bar is supplied with the best LIQUORS. D. M. ADAMS.

Luray, Page co., Va., oct 4—3m

## Auction Sales.

By J. A. Stoutenburgh, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE.—Will be sold, at public sale, on Thursday, Oct. 12, at the Mayor's Office, at 12 o'clock, M., the  
HOUSE AND LOT,  
on Royal street, opposite the market, belonging to Daniel Egan, and now occupied as a restaurant, by Robert Tomlin. It is a two-story brick, 24 feet front on Royal, by 123 feet 6 inches deep, and is most eligibly situated for business, and well worth the attention of those wishing to invest in real estate.

Terms—One-half cash; the residue in six and twelve months with interest, secured by a deed of trust on the premises.

oc 9-3t J. A. STOUTENBURGH, Auct.  
The above sale is postponed until the 18th day of October, 1865, at the hour and place above advertised. J. A. STOUTENBURGH, Auctioneer. oct 12—td

By John H. Parrott, Auctioneer.

INTENDING TO GIVE UP OUR WINE AND LIQUOR BUSINESS, we propose to sell at public auction, on the 19th of OCTOBER, at No. 18 North Royal Street, the balance of our stock, consisting of Wines, Liquors, Tobacco, Segars, &c., &c. Also a writing desk, chairs, and other articles belonging to the business.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.  
oc 14—td HANSEN & CO.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

On MONDAY, 26th of October next, I shall sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, (to satisfy an execution in my hands against the Old Dominion Steamboat Company,) the engine, boiler, works and wreck of the steamer Virginia. The Virginia was burned in April, 1862, and lies in water about two feet in depth, within two hundred yards of the wharf at Fredericksburg.

The sale will take place at 12 M., on the wharf of the Baltimore Steamboat Company.

J. S. G. TIMBERLAKE,  
Sergeant, Fredericksburg, Va.  
BRAXTON & WALLACE, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.  
Fredericksburg, sep 20—dts

## For Sale and Rent.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The undivided half of a BRICK HOUSE with store attached, situated on the north side of Prince street, between Union and Water sts., fronting on Prince street 24 feet 6 inches, and running back 72 feet. This property is in fee, and is now paying a yearly rent of \$420. For further information apply to GEORGE W. M. BRENT, Fire Insurance Building, King st. oct 3—2w\*

DRUG STORE FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers for sale the good will and fixtures of the DRUG STORE in Leesburg, formerly kept by John H. Kaighn. To a good druggist a fine opening is here presented. The store room, which is attached to the dwelling, can be taken possession of at once, and if desirable, the dwelling can be had early in the spring. Address MARY KAIGHN, Adm'x. of J. H. Kaighn, dec'd. Leesburg, oc 13—3t

TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING FOR SALE.—A comfortable two-story brick house and lot, situated on Patrick, between Queen and Princess streets. It has six rooms, recently thoroughly repaired, with water in the yard. For terms apply to WM. COGAN, No. 15, Royal street.

FREESTONE POINT FISHERY FOR RENT.—Will be rented to the highest bidder, at the Market House, in Alexandria, Va., on Thursday, the 19th day of October, for five seasons. JOHN W. FAIRFAX, se 30—toc19 Executor of HENRY FAIRFAX.

FOR SALE.—Good will, stock and fixtures of a GROCERY STORE, in one of the best locations in the city. For information apply at this office. oct 12—1w

FOR RENT.—The STORE adjoining my Drug Store, No. 224 King street. Apply to se 27—tf HENRY COOK, 39 King street.

## Lumber, Wood, Coal, &amp;c.

75,000 NORTH CAROLINA SHINGLES, (express) now landing and for sale by SMOOT & PERRY, oc 12 40, South Union street

## LUMBER! LUMBER!!

SLOAN &amp; BRUNER

Have for sale ALL KINDS OF LUMBER, At the lowest market rates.

Hunter's Wharf, near the Tunnel. R. J. SLOAN. B. F. BRUNER. jy 5—6m

JAS. RECTOR SMOOT. JOHN PERRY. SMOOT & PERRY,

DEALERS IN LUMBER, NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, AND CALCINED PLASTER.

No. 40 South Union Street. jy 15—tf ALEXANDRIA, VA.

200,000 LUMBER. 200,000

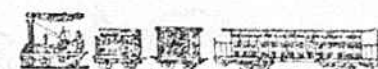
Just received two hundred thousand feet 4-4 6-4 and 8-4 White Pine, Hemlock, and Spruce LUMBER; also Joist and Scantling which we offer for sale at the market rates. jy 14—6m SMOOT & PERRY.

75 BBLs. St. John's ALEWIVES. For sale by oc 13— WITMER & WASHINGTON.

15 HALF BBLs. Family Roe POTOMAC HERRING. For sale by oc 13— WITMER & WASHINGTON.

100 TONS PLASTER, ground and in lump. For sale by JOHN S. KNOX, Jr., oc 13—1m No. 10, Union street.

## VIRGINIA &amp; TENNESSEE R. R. CO.



PRESIDENT'S OFFICE, Lynchburg, Va., Oct. 5th, 1865.  
Highly Gratifying and Important Intelligence for the Travelling Public.

INFORMATION is officially announced that the route between Lynchburg and Bristol, by the Va. & Tenn. Railroad, is now open, and the cars are running regularly and without interruption of any sort. Connections are perfect with the Railroads going South and North, so that no detention is necessary to passengers going in either direction.

The FARE on the Va. & Tenn. Railroad will be six cents per mile, on and after the 9th inst.; and through tickets will be established from New York to all points South; and vice versa, by 25th October on this route.

TRAVELLERS going North or South can rely upon comfort, expedition and safety, especially from malarious influences, with beauty of scenery not possessed by other routes.

The whole equipment of the Road having undergone a thorough overhauling, with new seats, painting and entire renovation of the interior of the cars, a degree of comfort unsurpassed by any other route may be confidently looked for; and, from the acknowledged prudence and experience of the courteous and gentlemanly conductors, every satisfaction may be confidently relied upon. oct 9—10t

## Wants.

WANTED TO RENT, a small DWELLING HOUSE, in the Central part of the city, with gas and water. A liberal rent will be paid. Apply to A. MYERS' Clothing Store, oct 10—1w\* No. 55, King street.

WANTED—100 PIANOS TO BE REPAIRED EQUAL TO NEW, at GEORGE L. WILD & BROS., Piano Forte Manufactory, No. 497, 11th st., Washington, D. C. For further particulars enquire of R. E. Heymen, 263, King street, or Miss Price, 263, King street, Teachers of Music, Alexandria. oct 7—1m\*

## STABLER'S OLD STAND.

Established 1732.

E. S. LEADBEATER &amp; CO.,

Have in store and for sale at lowest cash prices a full stock of Fresh Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Genuine Patent Medicines, French Window Glass, Putty, Oils, Acids, Dye stuffs, Lamps, Perfumery, Soaps, Sponges, Medicine Chests for families and ships, &c., &c.

AGENTS FOR LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS.

AND GROVER &amp; BAKER'S

SEWING MACHINES.

Physicians' prescriptions carefully prepared. oct 4—1m

WALTER CROOK, Jr.,

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Our stock is new and complete, and consists in part of

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WINDOW SHADES IN EVERY VARIETY

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Furniture Coverings, Damasks, Reps, Bedsteads, Silk Goods and Hair Cloths; also a splendid assortment of Piano and Table Covers.

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Curtains, Draperies, Window Shades and Venetian Blinds made in the latest style and best manner by superior workmen.

Store Shades, all sizes and colors, made and lettered at short notice.

Orders from abroad solicited, and will receive prompt and special attention.

Our facilities for furnishing steamboats, packers, &c., are unsurpassed.

sep 8—3m WALTER CROOK, Jr., Importer

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## FAMILY GROCERY,

AND PROVISION STORE.

Corner of Queen and St. Asaph Sts.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

jy 12—4f

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FAMILY GROCERIES & PROVISIONS of all kinds to which they invite the attention of their friends and the public in general.

feb 7—tf

J. P. CLARKE can be found at his old stand, J. No. 153, King street, up stairs. He is prepared to do all kinds of PAPER and CURTAIN HANGING and UPHOLSTERING, at the shortest notice. sep 15—eo1f

10 HIDS. BACON, SIDES and SHOULDERS. For sale by JOHN S. KNOX, Jr., oc 13—1m No. 10, Union street.

20 TONS Kettlewell's Manipulated GUANO in store and for sale by P. B. HOOE. oc 12—1w